

THE WILES OF SPAIN.

WHY SIR ROBERT MORIER  
NEGOTIATE.

The "Revelations" of the Pall Mall Gazette in Connection With the Commission Appointed to Investigate.  
Dr. Ferran Criticized—Notes.

MADRID, July 20.—Sir Robert Morier, British diplomat of thirty-one years' experience, has just left Madrid, after three years' stay, under circumstances which show the difficulties attending negotiations with Spain. As British ambassador he came to Spain to negotiate a commercial treaty with England, and devoted his time during his stay mainly to that end. Two or three times the treaty was announced as definitely settled, but finally it failed. The ambassador left Spain ac-

partment that he refused to make the usual personal calls on members of the Spanish cabinet before his departure.

Spain and its goods are therefore charged higher duty than those of continental countries. In return for admitting England to the most favored nation treatment Spain demanded admittance at one shilling a gallon duty of all wine below thirty spirit, and

dard. According to the present English law, wines above twenty-six spirit standard pay a duty of two shillings and sixpence a gallon, while those below enter at one shilling. This admits French wines which are low

Under the Ministry of Posada Herrera, in December, 1883, a *modus vivenda* was signed by England and Spain which gave

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came into power, and refused to accept the results of the previous negotiations, alleging as an excuse the customs troubles with the English free port of Gibraltar. By diplomatic pressure a *modus vivendi* was again signed in December 1884.

As passed by the Spanish cortes, the British ambassador claimed the existence of the following points of difference between the minister of state's agreement and the law:

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Third, The omission from the law of

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Gossip has it that a ministerial bargain with the protectionists caused the alleged amendment to the *modus vivendi* in the Cortes. The matter is an unfortunate one for Spanish diplomatic credit. The final

cial condition of the country is now greatly endangered by trade depression and cholera and seems to be on a par with the wretched policy which renders it necessary to know the motives of the government before so

**The Garbage of London.**  
LONDON, July 30.—The Pall Mall Gazette has issued in a single edition a complete and complete edition of the full text of all the

"enormous sale, and the proceeds are to be devoted towards defraying the expenses of the commission which is examining the data upon which the Gametta's articles are based."

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of lifting the evidence gathered by the reporter in support of the Pall Mall Gazette's statement that among the criminal establishments purveying to vice in London was the procuration firm of Misses X. and Z. whose business consisted in supplying customers all over Europe with young female children. The personages engaged in this inquiry say they will not speak upon the subject for publication until the commission of inquiry finishes its work, which will require

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Illness,

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## ABOY LASHED TO DEATH

A DEED THAT IS HORRIBLE AND HEINOUS IN ITS HELLISHNESS.

Innocent and Sick With Flux, Beaten by a Brutal Butcher Until His Release Pangs and Pain—Betrayed to Death—A Lynching Here.

VICKSBURG, Miss., July 20.—A case of horrible brutality has been made known here. It occurred at the convict camp at Crew Lake, La., on the Vicksburg, Shreveport & Pacific railroad. Mr. James J. Riley of New Orleans, whose brother, about eighteen years old, was confined there, was whipped so unmercifully that he died from the effects. Young Riley was sentenced for one year for larceny, but protested his innocence to the hour of his death, and his brother had assurance that the boy would have been pardoned.

There are about three hundred and seventy-five convicts in the camps who are employed working on the railroad wheeling dirt and raising the road bed. The camps are under the control of Capt. C. T. Hasel. One of his lieutenants, a man whose heart is said to be as cold and callous as stone, is one Joe McQuarters, who is known among the prisoners as "Joe, the butcher."

He, Mr. Riley said, beat and whipped his brother Philip, after he had fallen at work, sick and faint from weakness, being ill with flux. The boy pleaded to McQuarters in vain for mercy. As he piled the last four negro convicts were holding him down. Young Riley was carried from the pillory to what is called a hospital. He soon became speechless, and death, a welcome visitor took him beyond the reach of the inhuman wretches at Crew Lake.

Mr. Riley said he received frequent letters, purporting to come from his brother, in which it was stated that he was well and kindly treated. But soon another came which revealed the actual situation. The next letter told him of his death. Mr. Riley said he ascertained that the letters he had received first were never written by his brother, but for some others for a purpose. Twenty-three new graves were counted in one place by the correspondent informant. It is understood there are other facts connected with this camp, which will prove revolting in the extreme when made public.

## BETRAYED TO DEATH.

Minnie Rodabaugh Strayed From Virtue's Paths—Her Betrayal to be Lynched. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 20.—Miss Minnie Rodabaugh, aged 20, the daughter of the richest farmer in the country, has died, and it is the result of a criminal operation performed at the instance of Mr. Baldwin, a prominent stockman, aged 40.

An armed mob went to Fairfield with the intention of facing Baldwin from the jail and hanging him, but on their arrival there it was found the news of his arrest was unfounded and he is still at large. The vigilantes still remain organized, ready to act the moment Baldwin is caught. Word was sent to the authorities at Vicksburg that Baldwin would be found if he could be kept safe from the mob. Baldwin through an attorney filed a mortgage of \$50,000 on his property in favor of his father.

Just before her death Miss Rodabaugh made a confession, in which she said that when sixteen years of age Baldwin betrayed her under promise of marriage and compelled her to submit to an operation, which was repeated twice afterward, the third resulting in her death. She accused Dr. Whitney, of Fairfield, and a Mr. and Mrs. Culbertson of being accessory to the crime.

It was at the latter house she was found by her parents from whom she had fled in shame. The parties claim that the girl committed the crime herself and that they only took care of her. It is understood that Baldwin is secreted somewhere near the county line.

Armed men are searching for him, and it is the present heated state of the public mind no jail would hold him safe from the mob. It was rumored that he was caught and hanged over Chase's barn in Jefferson county, but the report is not credible.

## EMBEZZLEMENT.

Fugitive From Justice for Twelve Years. Arrested and Released.

New York, July 20.—Wm. Goddard, who robbed his employers, Austin Corbin & Co. in 1873 of \$15,000 worth of bonds intrusted to him to mail, went to Memphis and did good service there in the yellow fever epidemic, nursing the sick and burying the dead. Then he became a partner in a Minneapolis house, and in Minneapolis twelve years after the date of his crime he was discovered by detectives and arrested. District Attorney Martin moved in the general session that the indictment against Goddard be nolle.

Mr. Austin Corbin was willing and Mr. Martin said petitions for democracy had poured in from every quarter. He would submit to the court a petition from 500 of the foremost citizens of Minneapolis, headed by Mayor Pillsbury, of that city and Mayor Hubbell, of Minnesota. Judge Cowan granted the motion and Goddard was released. He will return, it is said, as soon as possible to Minneapolis and re-enter business. He was under age when he committed the crime.

## TELEGRAPH TATTLE.

Judge Shipman Gives an Order of the Court to All Concerned.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 20.—The telegraph controversy Judge Shipman signed an order directing the receiver of the Rapid and the Western Union to restore the wires mentioned in the affidavit of P. W. Jones, superintendent of the Bankers' & Merchants', and directing all officers and employees of the Rapid or Western Union to refrain from interfering with the operation. The stipulations annexed in the order are to be kept inviolate or the order shall be void.

Both Hartford and Farmington shall have free access to the wires and poles for the purpose of carrying out the order of the court. It is also ordered that if P. W. Jones of this order for the return of the wires to Farmington as receiver for the Bankers' & Merchants' shall be considered as in any way passing upon the ultimate right to their possession.

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 30.—John Gaunt, a carpenter, after a prolonged quarrel with his wife, stabbed her under the left arm in the side. She died early in the morning. The couple had five children.

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